

URGENT SERVICE MEN TO SAVE POLICIES

War Insurance Bureau Tells Legion Members They Can Retain Them

POST TO ISSUE BULLETINS

Five important facts regarding the rights of former ex-service men under the war risk insurance act have been transmitted to the seven...

Every former service man has eight months after his discharge or until July 1, 1920, whichever is the later date, to reinstate his war risk insurance...

A man's war risk insurance must be paid before he can convert the same into United States Government life insurance.

One way to obtain new members in Legion posts would be to clear up all outstanding allotments, compensation and insurance cases of members now enrolled in the post.

A nation-wide campaign will be launched shortly by the government to assist war risk officers to obtain all data relative to allotments, compensation and insurance matters.

David W. Jameson Post 183 has decided to issue periodically a bulletin so that the members may keep in touch with one another, even though they do not attend all the meetings.

The next meeting will be held March 2 at 25 South Van Pelt street, to which new members are invited.

Posts Nos. 88 and 800 in the Forty-sixth ward will hold a combination meeting Sunday, February 29, for the purpose of presenting the French memorial certificates to the next-of-kin in the ward.

ern and western ends of this large West Philadelphia territory. Approximately 800 members out of a total of 2000 have paid up their dues in the All-Navy Post No. 107 for 1920.

CANADA INSISTS ON VOTE

Essential to Right of Nationhood, Minister of Interior Asserts

Winnipeg, Feb. 19.—(By A. P.)—Either Canada or the United States would have to step out of the League of Nations under the League reservation proposed in the United States Senate, and Canada will insist on its right to a place, Arthur Meighen, minister of the interior, asserted in an address before the Winnipeg Board of Trade.

TEACHERS TO ASK \$500 RISE

Instructors Will Meet in William Penn High School Tonight

Philadelphia teachers will meet in the William Penn High School tonight to ask for a \$500 increase in salary for every city school teacher.

LEATHER BELTING

Government Used Discontinued after completing war contracts. Guaranteed same as new.

JOS. PAULUS & CO. Mfrs. Belting and Belted Dressing 2507-11 Potter St., Phila., Pa.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR FRIDAY, FEBRUARY TWENTIETH

All Former February Selling Records Eclipsed in the Strawbridge & Clothier Clearance of Men's Clothing



Men's Shirts A Clearance At Reductions of 20 to 40 per Cent.

From our extensive Men's Shirts stocks we have selected many lines, marking them 20 to 40 per cent. less than original low prices in order to quickly provide space for the accommodation of incoming styles.

Prices have been reduced to \$1.60, \$2.25, \$2.65, \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00 Silk Shirts—now \$7.65

Fur-lined Overcoats Reduced Now \$87.50, \$127.50 to \$315.00

To any man who needs Clothing, the Suits and Overcoats in this remarkable Sale would be AS GOOD AS GOLD, dollar for dollar, at the regular prices, for manufacturers' prices are higher right now than ever before...

\$160,000 Worth of Suits, Overcoats and Trousers for \$100,000 THE SAVINGS AVERAGE MORE THAN ONE-THIRD

Suits and Overcoats \$18.50 Suits in smart models for young men. Overcoats chiefly in conservative styles. All at less than present wholesale value.

Suits and Overcoats \$33.50 A variety of men's and young men's Suits, including double-breasted models. Plain Overcoats and Ulsterettes. "Alco" and other well-known makes.

Suits and Overcoats \$48.50 Both Suits and Overcoats in this group from Hart, Schaffner & Marx and other good manufacturers. Fine fabrics, beautifully tailored.

Suits and Overcoats \$23.50 The Suits chiefly in young men's styles, a few conservative models. The Overcoats in plain models and a few Ulsterettes.

Suits and Overcoats \$38.00 Both Suits and Overcoats from the Stein-Bloch Co., Hart, Schaffner & Marx, and the makers of "Alco" Clothes. Wide variety for men and young men.

Men's Finest Winter Suits \$59.00 Silk-mixed worsteds from the famous HOCKANUM MILLS. Conservative models. Less than present wholesale value.

Suits and Overcoats \$28.00 Men's and Young Men's Suits, conservative worsteds and youthful fabrics; some half-lined. Overcoats in youthful and conservative styles; some of dark blue kersey.

Suits and Overcoats \$43.00 Stein-Bloch, Hart, Schaffner & Marx and "Alco" Suits, Overcoats and Ulsters in smart styles for young men; also conservative models.

Men's London Overcoats \$68.50 Imported Overcoats, from Thexton & Wright and Austin & Co. Luxurious English fabrics, made up with the true London swagger—high-class in every detail.

Separate Trousers Reduced Now \$4.75, \$6.75, \$7.25, \$8.35



Men's Hats New Soft Styles for Spring A Special Lot at \$3.35 An excellent collection from the standpoint of style—including several new shapes and colors that will be favored during the coming season.

Old Style Coins to be Canceled After March 15 If you have not yet exchanged your old Shopping Coin for the new Coin—Seal of Confidence design—please do so at once.

Unmatchable Are the Values In this Sale of Smart Boots

The Actual Saving Is from Four Dollars to Seven-Fifty And, best of all, you choose from a big, complete stock that includes all sizes and all widths in a hundred laced and button styles.

All the smart boot models are here, in all the wanted leathers, with all the popular heel types, for dress and street wear.

Actual 14.00 to 17.50 Value 9.85

Misses' & Children's Shoes These are values that will interest every father and mother. Laced or buttoned styles with low or spring heels, in dull or patent leather. They will give thorough satisfaction.

Worth 5.00 to 6.50 3.85, 4.45, 5.45 According to size.

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That means every complete Dinner Set and every open-stock pattern—without reserve. The reductions are substantial, and have been made from prices already low through foresighted merchandising.

Porcelain Dinner Sets Imported China Sets Theo. Haviland Sets

Light-Cut Glasses in the Sale

Syrup Jars, with top—50c Oil and Vinegar Bottles—50c Candy Jars, 1/4-pound—50c. Candy Jars, 1/2-pound—65c.

Fancy China

Sugar and Cream Sets—now \$1.00 to \$3.25. Tea Sets—\$5.50 to \$15.00. Mayonnaise Sets—50c to \$1.35.

Aluminum, Enameled, Tin and Galvanized Utensils

Hundreds of them are in the Sale at savings that thrifty housewives can well appreciate.

Save on Umbrellas

Sturdy, dependable Umbrellas covered with fine piece-dyed Union Taffeta (silk-and-cotton) with silk tape edge.

Women's Stockings Special at 65c

MERCERIZED COTTON STOCKINGS, full-fashioned, with high spliced heels and double soles. Black or white, sizes 8 1/2 to 10.

Among Remarkable Values in the Sale Floor Lamps, \$15.00

A limited number of Floor Lamps in dull rich mahogany finish, wired for two electric lights, with cord and attachment plug.

An Importer "Closed Out" About 100 Fine Bracelet Watches

To us, at considerably less than their market value, because he was unable to secure regular deliveries from the Swiss watch makers. In every case, the movement is of unusually fine grade—fully guaranteed to give satisfaction.

Brassieres 38c to \$7.00

Smartly dressed women know that a well-groomed appearance depends largely upon a well-fitting Brassiere.

Down-proof Satine Under Price, 75c

Sturdy, closely woven Satine, mill ends in lengths of from 5 to 29 yards each. Blue, black or cream grounds, handsomely figured.

Table Glasses

Needle-etched Tumblers—10c. Light-cut Tumblers—10c, 12c. Light-cut Sherbets—15c.

Women are Asking for Smart Tailored Cloth Dresses

And they are the very Dresses in this group, smart in line, and beautifully tailored, presenting the best of new style features.

Serge Dresses, \$17.50

Two straight-line models in Women's Navy Blue or Black Serge Dresses. Both styles are beautifully braided and finished with smart tie sashes.

America's First Pianoforte Was Imported From London by John Jacob Astor

Its purchase from Broadwood & Son, London, and subsequent sale in this country was the initial business transaction of the concern that, after more than a century of steady growth and expansion, to-day produces—

The FRANCIS BACON Pianos and Player-Pianos

An early letter in which John Jacob Astor ordered one of America's first pianofortes begins—"Please to ship me one of the best pianofortes you have."

Royal Waists \$2.25 to \$4.50

Royal Waists, famed for their correct tailoring and variety of models from the smart shirt style to the semi-tailored Blouse with its scores of tiny tucks and hemstitching.

Special! Waists of Crepe Georgette

At \$3.95, \$4.95 and \$7.50—A special group of Crepe Georgette Waists in white, flesh-color, other light tones and smart suit shades.

Eight Days More for These Lower Prices on Furniture

Furniture for every room in the home—beautiful Period designs—suits and single pieces—still an excellent assortment for selection, but heavy drafts have been made upon our warehouse reserves every day.

The Great Winter Reduction Sale of Boys' Clothing

Practically every needed kind of winter apparel is included in this great clearance—and substantial reductions have been made from our regular low prices.

Madeira Hand-embroidered Linens, Much Under Price

Discontinued designs, broken sizes, in beautiful Decorative Linens add so much to the beauty of the home. All are exquisitely hand-embroidered in the fine Madeira work that American women prize.

Among the "March" Columbia Records Ready To-morrow!

SONGS. Two new ones by Nora Bayes—"In Four Arms" and "Just Like a Gypsy." One by Al Jolson and one by Campbell and Burr.

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